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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

NNAMDI KAMALU,	§ .
(#46652100)	8
Plaintiff,	§
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VS.	§ CIVIL ACTION H-07-0533
CIVIGENICS INC. OF TEXAS, et al.,	\$ 9:01 CV 44
Defendants.	\$ pc/10

MEMORANDUM AND OPINION

Plaintiff, a detainee proceeding *pro se*, brings this action against Texas detention center officials who reside in Polk County, Texas. Plaintiff sues these officials for violations of civil rights which occurred at the IAH Detention Center, where he is confined and which is located in Polk County, Texas.

Accordingly, in the interest of justice and for the convenience of the parties and witnesses, it is hereby ORDERED that this case be TRANSFERRED to

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the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Texas, Lufkin Division. 28 U.S.C. §§ 1391, 1404(a).

Plaintiff's motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*, (Docket Entry No. 2), is DENIED without prejudice to reconsideration after transfer.

SIGNED at Houston, Texas, on February 21, 2007.

WANTEGA D CHIMODE

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE